PATENT APPLICATION

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Attorney Docket No.: 106141

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

R. Gitomer

Group Art Unit: 1651

Examiner:

In re the Application of

Lyle ARMSTRONG et al.

Application No.: 09/530,518

Filed: May 25, 2000

For: METHOD AND AGENT FOR DETERMINING A DEAMINASE ENZYMATIC ACTIVITY (AS

AMENDED)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Check No. 145139 in the amount of \$54.00 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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Sir:

In reply to the February 13, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.

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